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SUGGEST GREAT WHITE WAY FOR CHARLEROI

Scientific Street Lighting Partly Developed Here

USE LOCAL PRODUCT

System in Wide Use Elsewhere Would Beautify the Town

Although there were not enough members present to constitute a quorum at the regular meeting of the Charleroi Business Men's Association, last evening, W. D. Pollock introduced a matter which will no doubt receive serious consideration later on. This is the question of ornamental street lighting, and it may be interesting to know that this is a science which, although it is now being widely adopted in the cities and towns of both this county and Europe, virtually started in Charleroi. Ornamental and scientific street lighting has been developed by the Macbeth-Evans Glass company, which is now rapidly introducing the method in all progressive communities. This company has its leading factory in Charleroi and it is here that the glasses which figure as an important factor in the method are manufactured in large quantities.

At the meeting of the Business Men's Association last evening Mr. Pollock, who is one of the department superintendents of the Macbeth-Evans factory here, presented a series of booklets giving the details of the system, which are issued by the Macbeth-Evans people. This firm now maintains an illuminating engineering department, and when a city or town wants to install an ornamental and scientific system of street lighting, this department works out the details. It will advise the authorities in charge as to what to do to get the most results from lights and glasses, the number and kind that are best and furnish tentative estimates of cost.

The ornamental system is composed of clusters of high candle power Tungsten or Mazda incandescent lamps, enclosed in white Alba glass, globes, which are manufactured exclusively by the Macbeth-Evans company, and which are an extensive Charleroi product. The globes are mounted on an ornamental or white metal posts designed to harmonize with the surroundings, and so spaced as to diffuse the light at the right intensity.

This system brings back the old time side light street lamps, which has been found most efficient, as well as ornamental, as overhead wires, unsightly poles which are required with arc light, are done away with. The incandescent clusters enclosed in white Alba globes scientifically spaced give more and better light when on the side of the streets, as well as adding to the

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THE COYLE THEATRE
SAFEST HOUSE IN STATE
CLEAN, COOL AND COMFORTABLE.
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Stole March On Friends

Couple Leave For Pittsburg Expo But Get Married in Wheeling

Arthur K. Odbery, formerly of Charleroi, but now a practicing physician of Ohio, and Miss Phyllis Nicholas, daughter of Mrs. M. A. Nicholas of Allenport left the young woman's home Wednesday morning ostensibly to attend the Pittsburg Exposition but a telegram to her mother Thursday conveyed the information that she and the doctor were married the previous evening in Wheeling, W. Va.

Miss Nicholas recently declined to accept a position as teacher in the Allenport public schools because by a ruling of the school board she would not be allowed to attend dances.

Dr. Odbery is one of the Charleroi boys who grew up here and has made a good start toward success. He is a young man of promising capabilities and has many friends here who extend congratulations. The bride is also well and favorably known in this community.

TO PAVE THREE STREETS

North Charleroi Council is Planning Improvements

WANT MORE SEWERS

Although representatives of the Charleroi Water company met with the North Charleroi council at the regular meeting Thursday evening, and the matter relative to the right of way for a 20 inch line through the borough was threshed out at some length, no agreement was reached and the question is still open for further negotiations. The regular bills were presented and ordered paid and the other routine business transacted.

Borough Engineer Alexander Gray was instructed to compete his plans for a sewage disposal plant, which the State Department requires for submission and get them approved as soon as possible. This must be done before further sewer improvements and extensions can be made.

Three paving ordinances were presented and passed first reading. These were for the paving of Fourth street from the west side of the school property west to Center avenue; Seventh street from Lincoln avenue west to Isabella avenue, and Fourth street from the railroad crossing to Front street. The ordinances were referred back to the ordinance committee after they had passed first reading.

AGRICULTURAL SHARP LOCATED IN COUNTY

Brought to Washington by County Seat Board of Trade to Promote Farming and Gardening in That Locality

J. M. McKee, recently appointed agricultural expert for Washington county through a co-operative arrangement by the Bureau of Plant Industry of the National Department of Agriculture, the Agricultural Bureau of the county seat Board of Trade and Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture arrived in Washington Thursday and will at once make preparations for carrying out certain lines of procedure for the benefit of the agriculturists of this section. Mr. McKee expects to proceed along lines that he sees will be beneficial after studying the local situation.

Mr. McKee while a young man, has had a varied experience in his line, and comes recommended as thoroughly capable. He is a native of Charleroi county where he worked on a farm until he entered Pennsylvania State college, where he was graduated from the Agricultural school in 1910, specializing in farm management. In the spring of 1910, he assisted in making a detailed soil survey of Bradford county, returning to State college in the fall of that year as assistant in Agronomy. In the summer of 1911 he made a reconnaissance survey of Northeastern Pennsylvania. Last fall he managed a farm in New Jersey, where he remained until the spring of 1912, when he made a reconnaissance and survey of Southeastern Pennsylvania.

TWO PRECINCTS IN FALLOWFIELD

Court Grants Another Polling Place and Appoints Officers

The court this week made a decree in the matter of the division of Fallowfield township into two voting precincts. The polling place in the first precinct will be at the township building on the Colvin farm and that in the second precinct at the McCracken Supply company's building at VanVoorhis. Boards were named as follows: First precinct—Judge, Milo Leatherman; inspectors, John Jones Republican and John Bolts, Democrat. J. A. Carson was appointed assistant assessor for this precinct. In the second precinct the judge is to be S. C. Beazell and the inspectors S. S. Hall, Republican and Charles Grable, Democrat. Dr. B. E. Gamble was appointed assistant assessor for the second precinct.

MONON. WOMEN ORGANIZE CLUB

The Monongahela Marketing Club, the second of its kind in the Monongahela valley, was organized at the Y. M. C. A. rooms in Monongahela yesterday. Mrs. J. B. Flannery, who was instrumental in the organization of the Charleroi Marketing Club gave several talks recently the effect of which was the organization at Monongahela yesterday. Miss Catherine McGough was elected president. Mrs. James Downer first vice president, Mrs. James McGregor second vice president, Mrs. James McCullough third vice president, Miss Mary Craig secretary, and Mrs. William McCallister treasurer. Committees have been appointed and will start to work immediately.

Saturday Market.
Home made bread, pies and cakes at Dawson's Millinery store Saturday afternoon by ladies of Washington Avenue Presbyterian church. 37-12
For School Supplies
watch our window. Might's Book Store. 335-S-2-4
Card of Thanks.
I desire to thank my friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses extended during the recent sickness and death of my wife. All are remembered with grateful appreciation.
W. P. Stiger. 33-t1p

BULL MOOSE ELEMENT SEEKS TO BLOCK GAME

Officers Are Chosen

Women's Missionary Society Has Program at the Election

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. R. Eagye assisted by Mrs. H. J. Booth and Mrs. F. W. Cunningham. The principal feature of the business part of the program was the opening of the minutes and election of officers for the coming year which were as follows: President, Mrs. H. J. Booth; vice president, Mrs. F. A. Richards; recording secretary, Mrs. T. R. Eagye; corresponding secretary, Miss Rosetta Rodgers; treasurer, Mrs. F. J. Johns.

The subject of the afternoon's lesson was "The Fruitage of the Year." The leader was Mrs. Della Halstead. An interesting paper was read by Mrs. W. S. James on "What Our Auxiliary Has Accomplished This Year." A religious "Mrs. Hartwell's Mite Box," was given by Mrs. Ralph White.

DOUGLAS COLLEGE OPENS

Opening Enrollment is Largest in History of the School

FACULTY UNCHANGED

With an enrollment of 89, which was the largest opening enrollment in the history of the school the Douglas Business College opened Tuesday for the fall and winter term. The attendance has already been increased to 95 and by next week Supt. M. Adams manager of the Charleroi school, expects that the number of pupils in attendance will be increased to 100 or more. This will be the largest attendance in the history of the school.

As the successor to the Tubbs Business College which was founded in Charleroi by the late Prof. Tubbs the Douglas Business College ranks second to none of the commercial training schools in this section of the State. From its first institution the Charleroi school has graduated a large number of pupils in bookkeeping, shorthand and typewriting many of whom occupy positions of responsibility and trust in the big industrial and financial institutions of the Pittsburgh district, as well as elsewhere.

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Roosevelt Electors Refuse to Get Off Republican Ticket

COURT MAY OUST THEM

This is What is Holding Back the Campaign in the County

Owing to the complications that have arisen over the electoral ticket in Pennsylvania, the Republican campaign in the State and county is slow in starting. As many of the electors chosen by the Republicans of the State are Roosevelt men, the introduction of the third party in the campaign has mixed affairs badly. It is possible that the courts will be resorted to in order to straighten out the tangle.

Since the formation of the Roosevelt party which will be known as the Washington party in this State, the natural inference would be that the Roosevelt electors who have been nominated on the Republican ticket would resign. The reason they do not, however, is that the leaders of the Bull Moose movement are holding them back for a purpose. As the Republican State convention was controlled by the Bull Moose element, who nominated the electoral ticket, as well as the State ticket and State chairman, the latter element seeks to retain the State ticket nominated under the Republican banner, as well as the State chairman.

Now that the Bull Moosers are backing a third party, it is but natural that the Republicans should seek a new deal. They mistrust State Chairman Wasson, who was nominated by the Roosevelt element before the third party was launched, as well as the State ticket nominated at the convention. As a large number of the Presidential electors are opposed to President Taft, it is not at all possible for them to remain on the Republican ticket. The Bull Moose element, however, under the leadership of William Flinn of Pittsburgh, fears that if the electors resign and straighten out Republicans are substituted, the Republicans will repudiate the State ticket nominated by the convention and name another ticket, as well as oust Chairman Wasson.

It is stated that Flinn offers to deal with Senator Penrose in the matter, agreeing to have the electors resign if the latter will agree not to nominate another State ticket; after the Roosevelt electors are off the Republican ticket. This Senator Penrose refuses to do, and the matter may be taken into the courts for adjustment. Senator Penrose conferred with National Chairman Hillis in New York yesterday on the matter. If the Roosevelt electors on the Republican ticket do not resign at once, it is possible that drastic action will be taken to oust them.

This is why no action has been taken in the State and county by the Republican organizations to start the campaign. County Chairman C. E. Carothers, assisted by Secretary

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J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Sec. R. H. Ruch, Cashier.

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Manufacturing Jeweler Charleroi Phone 10

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sarily for publication, must invariably
bear the author's signature.

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in settlement of estates, public sales,
live stock estray notices, notices to
teachers, 10 cents per line, first inser-
tion, 5 cents a line each additional in-
sertion.

LOCAL AGENCIES

G. S. Micht.....Charleroi
Mrs. Belle Sharpnack.....Lock No. 4
J. T. Hixnbaugh.....Belle Vernon

Sept. 6 In American History.

1492—Columbus sailed from the Canary
Isles on his voyage of discovery.
1822—William Steele Holman, Demo-
cratic statesman, born died 1897.
1901—President William McKinley
shot while visiting a reception in
the Temple of Music at the Pan-
American Exposition in Buffalo by
Leon F. Czolgosz, an anarchist.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 6:24, rises 5:51. Evening
stars Venus, Mars, Jupiter, Mercury.
Morning star: Saturn.

THE GRANGE ACTS.

At last the Pomona Grange of
Washington county has taken action
on the dog nuisance. At the last
meeting of this body at Burgetts-
town this week, the dog question was
taken up in the following resolution,
which was the last of a series adopt-
ed before adjournment:

"Resolved, That we recommend
that the legislature of our state en-
act some sort of stringent laws to
control the dog nuisance, the sheep
industry having been ruined in many
localities by this cause."

The fault to be found with the
resolution is that it is not specific.
There is but one way to abolish the
dog nuisance and to protect the
sheep herds—or what is left of
them—in this county, and that is to
prohibit dogs from running at large
entirely. The resolution of the
Grange permits the legislature to
temporize and to delay the real rem-
edy. The Grange should have re-
manded that the legislature enact
laws under drastic penalty to pro-
hibit dogs from running at large and
to be persistent in this demand

THE WARRING ELEMENTS

It was an alleged humorist who as-
serted that it was no use to save any-
thing for a rainy day, as the rainy
day was likely to bring a flood and
sweep all the savings away. This is
what happened in Washington coun-
ty. A big lot of the assets the county
has accumulated have been dissipat-
ed by a rainy day, or rather a suc-
cession of them.

Bridges and road built and main-
tained by the county have been de-
stroyed or damaged to such an ex-
tent that many of them will have to
be practically rebuilt. All this means
an additional burden on the taxpay-
ers which, however, is one that no
one could foresee, or even predict.
Man has no control over the elements
which have a faculty of occasionally

displaying extraordinary capacity for
inflicting damage. It was so in this
case. Floods come when and where
they were least expected, and inflict
ed damage that is not likely to oc-
cur again within the memory of any
person now living.

Nevertheless this war of the ele-
ments is one that is constantly men-
acing our efforts at progress. It is
one of the things that convinces us
that we live in an age of opposition
and strife and that it is not safe to
be unprepared for an emergency. It
is the extraordinary that is taxing
all our resources, yet the majority of
us are seldom prepared for the un-
expected that always happens to
change our plans and to place ob-
stacles in our way. This however,
seems to be Nature's way for preserv-
ing a balance and to stimulate effort
and endeavor to its greatest capacity.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Cheer up. We haven't had a cloud-
burst for almost two days.

Most everybody wants a new suit,
but not of the zebra pattern.

What's the use of going to war
nowdays? We can go up to the
movies and get the same sensations.

It's too doggone hot to even raise a
rough house

What's the use of telling the po-
lice to "look out for Jimmie Valen-
tine," when "Everybody's Doing It?"

Hack Gibson's motto: "Thou shalt
not steal."

Some men who get married two or
three times must be after Solomon's
or Brigham Young's record.

Let's quit having "Wild West"
movies shown and have some "Wild
New York" films made.

Rain may be good for the corn crop
but it's darn poor for us poor mort-
als.

Now comes the winter of our dis-
content,
For we've worked all summer and
haven't got a cent

A few men take a rest from hard
work by working a little harder.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

The following is taken from the
September American Magazine:
"How many people whom you meet
in everyday life observe as much as
they ought?"

"If you think it easy, try this:
Ask some members of your family
about some object which they are
accustomed to see. For instance, a
picture. As which way the head
faces, right or left. Seven out of
ten will be unable to tell correctly."

"The writer filed the office of lec-
ture at the Grange for some time,
and for an experiment one evening
asked a number of questions about the
hall in which the meetings are held.
"On 'Observation Night,' as it was
called, some sixty members were in
attendance. For a starter they were
asked which way the Indian head on
the common cent faced, right or left.
Only two could tell.

"Two doors leading to a balcony
were next brought to mind. A knock
on one door opened both. They were
asked on which door this knock was
made. Two gave the correct an-
swer while thirty-five gave the wrong
door.

"The number of pictures on the
walls of the dining-hall was next
questioned. No one, not even the
janitor, could tell. They all gave
nearly twice the correct number
which was twelve.

"Is there a telephone pole squarely
in front of the hall? was next asked.
A brother said there was. An-
other brother said he thought it was
to the left. Both brothers were pos-
itive they were right and caused no
little merriment for the rest. More
merriment was caused by the report
of a committee that the nearest pole
was to the right of the hall.

"All these objects had been seen
by those present probably hundreds
of times, but they hadn't noticed
them enough to remember about
them.

"Now, dear reader, when you meet
a friend on the street just ask him
which way the head on a five-cent
piece faces, left or right. Ten to one
he won't know.
"Ask all your friends 'observation

questions,' little things that they
don't notice. You will be observing
many things you never noticed be-
fore, and you will enjoy life more
for having noticed them."

Two panhandlers were neatly trap-
ped while plying their trade on the
streets yesterday morning. The pair
approached a couple of citizens who
were talking on the street corner and
in piteous tones begged for a dime to
get something to eat.

"I don't like the way your breath
smells," said one of the citizens, "still
I suppose a bum can get hungry as
well as any one else. If I were near
a restaurant I'd buy you each a sand-
wich."

As the other citizen was going
down street he volunteered to get
the sandwiches, so the first citizen
produced the dime, and the three
started down street. When the first
barroom was approached one of the
panhandlers said:

"Now look here, pardner," we
don't want anything to eat. I'll be
honest with you. We want a drink.
Just give us the dime and let us get
a couple of beers."

This the citizen refused to do and
the panhandlers then insisted that he
buy the sandwiches. Instead of that
he called a policeman who pinched
the pair for begging on the streets.

MORTGAGES ON LAND.

Why It Is Essential That They Should
Be Recorded.

As the value of land to the owner
increases so does the security of mort-
gage investments given on that land
increase. A mortgage may be consid-
ered as a deed of the land which re-
tains the title in the original owner or
his successor on the paying off of the
mortgage of the land or note which
the mortgage secures.

Mortgages are recorded in public
offices called registers, recorders or
county clerks' offices, in much the same
way that deeds are so that any one
buying the land is bound to take no-
tice of them, and the land is bound by
them no matter to whom the land is
conveyed and no one has a right to
say that he bought the land not know-
ing that a mortgage was on it, for he
is presumed by law to know such
facts as a search of the title in these
public offices could reveal.

If, however, the holder of the mort-
gage does not cause the mortgage to be
recorded then any innocent pur-
chaser of the land can take it clear of
the lien of the mortgage.

In so particular has the law of this
country gone further than in the effort
to secure the title of the landowner
and the security of the mortgage hold-
er, and no investments are more high-
ly regarded by the conservative busi-
ness man than those founded on the
imperishable surface of the earth.—
Christian Herald.

UMBRELLA HANDLES.

In France They Shape Them as They
Grow in Nurseries.

Most of the handles of canes, alpen
stocks, parasols and umbrellas used in
France are grown in nurseries. Ash,
maple oak, chestnut and other woods
are used. In the early part of the first
year after planting the young trees
are cut near the ground to bring about
the formation of numerous sprouts.
The lower branches are removed, and
only a plume of leaves is left.

Early in the spring the sprouts are
subjected to a surgical operation.
Their bark is cut, and the wood is
carved in different designs, which are
swollen by the sap and grow in high
relief as the tree develops. Special in-
struments are used for the cutting and
designing. Thus curved the sprouts
grow for three years.

At the end of the third year the forest
of umbrella handles is cut and the
ends are dried in the sun and then given
a vapor bath, after which they are
put into the hands of skilled workmen
who peel them with one quick move-
ment.

When skinned the peelers cut them
to the required lengths and send them
to the umbrella maker who varnishes
them. If the shape desired is a ring
or other open form a ring or oval or
square is grafted to the natural stalk,
bound closely, and left to grow into
place. Harpers.

Extra Buttons.

"It takes stout people to break all
rules regulating the number of buttons
on a coat or waistcoat," said the tailor
they can't follow the fashion their
size won't let them.

Three buttons on a coat this year
fashion's conventions may decree or two
a four or five or whatever number
they think proper but the man with
a figure that is constantly coming to
accept its environment does not care
about conventions. When he wears a
button enough to keep his clothes in
shape.

But "em close together" he says
so the strain won't all come on one
or three buttons.

So we put them closer together
and the result is that stout people the
quicker may have as many buttons
on their clothes as fashion calls for.
New York Times.

A Mind Reader.

Mr. Dorkins Maria, why do you al-
ways interrupt me as soon as I be-
gin?—Mrs. Dorkins—Because I al-
ways know exactly what you are going to
say. What's the use of my wastin'
time by waiting to hear you finish?
Chicago Tribune.

One of The Reasons

for the high cost of living is the fact that goods are now sold to
such a large extent in cans and cartons. A bushel of wheat
when made into breakfast food retails at something like \$16.00,
and a bushel of tomatoes which cost from forty to fifty cents
retails for from \$3.00 to \$4.00. The canning and putting up of
these goods might just as well be done by the municipality in
behalf of the whole people and be sold to them at cost. The
saving would be tremendous.

We Respectfully Submit the Following Prices

Matchless flour,
full 49 lb. sack.....\$1.55
Best granulated sugar,
full 25-lb. sack.....\$1.35

Matchless flour will please you.
Your money back unless it makes
better and more bread than any flour
at the same price.

25-lb sack pastry flour.....75c
10c pkg. corn flakes, 4 for.....25c
Shredded wheat biscuit.....12c

Produce

Potatoes, per pk.....25c
Sweet potatoes, 1-1 pk.....10c
Fancy apples, pk.....15c
Grapes, basket.....15c

We save you 25 per cent.

2-1/2 lb. jar full of Willow Cove.....15c
1 qt. jar full of Willow Cove.....25c
5 lb yellow peas.....25c
Royal peanut butter, lb.....15c
Qt. jar queen olives.....25c
3 cans best molasses.....25c
3 bottles elegant catsup.....25c
1-2 lb best coconut.....10c
Qt. jar Lutz & Schramm
prepared mustard.....15c
Magic yeast, pkg.....15c
10c pkg. noodles, 2 for.....15c
10c pkg. macaroni, 2 for.....15c
10c pkg. vermicelli, 2 for.....15c
1 lb pkg best corn starch.....5c
Full line fancy cakes lb.....10c
10 lb pail fresh makorels.....\$1.25

Drugs and Medicine

Flax seed, lb.....10c
Flax seed meal, lb.....10c
\$1.00 bottle Kilmer Swamp Root, 80c
\$1.00 bot. Lydia Pinkham's com-
pound.....80c
50c bottle Beef, Iron and Wine.....45c
10c bottles Turpentine, 2 for.....15c
10c bottles Castor Oil, 2 for.....15c
Elic Lacotte's Salve.....60c
Dumas' Salve.....50c
Peruna.....80c

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String beans, 2 cans.....15c
Ruth peas, 3 cans.....25c
New early June peas, 2 cans.....25c
3 large cans best num'n.....25c
2 cans choice pink salmon.....25c
Abbeville kippered herring 3 cans 25c
7 cans best tomato sandwiches.....25c
2 large cans mustard sandwiches.....15c
Best early June sandw. 10c and 15c
Shrimp, 10c can.....10c
Fancy tomatoes, 3 cans.....25c
Early June peas, per can.....10c
Fancy cream corn, 2 cans.....15c

Evaporated Fruits

Splendid prunes, 3 lbs.....25c
Fancy muscatel raisins, 3 lbs.....25c
Fancy seeded raisins, 1-lb pkg.....10c
Evaporated apricots, 2 lbs for.....25c
Good prunes, 4 lbs for.....25c
Evaporated peaches, 3 lbs.....25c

Fruit Jars

Mason fruit jars, qts, dozen.....50c
Mason fruit jars pints, dozen.....15c
10c heavy jar gums 2 dozen.....15c
Porcelain lined jar lids, dozen.....15c
Jelly glasses, doz.....20c
Fruit cans, per doz.....35c

Kitchen Specials

7 cakes silver gloss soap.....25c
5c box clothes pins, 4 for.....15c
10c roll toilet paper, 4 for.....15c
7c box bag blue, 5 for.....10c
3 cakes best scouring soap.....10c
4 pkgs. cold starch.....25c
2 in one shoe polish, 2 boxes.....15c
Shinola, 2 boxes for.....15c
1 qt. ammonia.....10c
2 qts. blueing.....15c
5c box matches, 3 for.....10c
4-lb box soapine.....15c
Sticky fly paper, 3 double sheets.....5c
Poison fly paper, 3c envelopes, 2
for.....5c
11 cakes White Dove Soap.....25c

THE CO-OPERATIVE STORE

620 Fallowfield Avenue, - - CHARLEROI, PA.
241 Schoonmaker Avenue. - - MONESSEN, PA.

A Wager Won.

The following story is told of J. P.
Morgan and possibly of other suc-
cessful business men as well. For three
consecutive days the great financier
carried an empty briefcase in his hand
to and from his office. On the third
day one of his employees ventured to
ask why he carried that apparently use-
less bag.

"To see," replied Pierpont Morgan.
"If any one would have the impudence
to ask me why I did so."

"I beg your pardon," began the in-
quirer.

"You are in it to do that," said the chief
financier gravely. "I had a bet with a
man that I had at least one employee
with some common sense. I've won the
more; but in future don't ask ques-
tions about things that don't concern
you."

Clerk's Notice in Bankruptcy.

No. 6187 In Bankruptcy

In the district court of the United
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Pennsylvania Frank Lowrie Mc-
Clure of Washington county, Penn-
sylvania, a bankrupt under the Act
of Congress of July 1, 1898, having
applied for a full discharge from all
debts provable against his estate un-
der said Act, notice is hereby given
to all known creditors and other per-
sons in interest, to appear before the
said Court at Pittsburg, in said Dis-
trict on the 15th day of October 1912
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8	117,080	35	120,745
9	113,500	36	121,100
10	17,500	37	122,245
11	118,000	38	65,670
12	117,060	39	124,075
13	124,575	40	118,850
14	123,500	41	109,750
15	120,600	42	114,110
16	119,140	43	112,000
17	114,900	44	118,075
18	125,150	45	122,630
19	123,055	46	74,750
20	120,895	47	120,910
21	125,475	48	16,095
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The blood cells are important members of the cell community and are exceedingly numerous, there being over 75,000,000,000 of the red blood cells alone. These red blood cells move in the blood currents, carrying through the arteries each its little load of oxygen, which it transports to the distant tissues that they may be invigorated and vitalized anew, and, returning, carrying through the veins the debris and waste products of the system to the great crematory of the lungs, where the waste is burned and thrown off from the body.

Like the ships that sail the sea, each cell with its outlying cargo and returns with another one. Some of these cells perform the office of special repairmen, forcing their way through the walls of the blood vessels and penetrating the tissues in order to perform their special tasks.

There are several other kinds of cells in the blood besides the carriers just mentioned. There are the wonderful soldier and police cells, which maintain order and fight battles when necessary. The police cells are on the constant lookout for germs, bacteria and other microscopic disturbers of the peace in the body.

When these tiny policemen discover vagrant germs or criminal bacteria they rush upon the intruder and, tying him up in a mesh, proceed to devour him. If the intruder be too large or vigorous a call for assistance is sent out, and the reserve police rush to the assistance of their brothers and overpower the disturber of the peace.

Sometimes when the vagrants are too numerous the policemen throw them out from the body by means of pimples, boils and similar eruptions. In case of infectious diseases an army corps is ordered out in full strength, and a royal fight is waged between the invading army and the defenders of home and country.—William Walker Atkinson in Nautilus.

CHINESE SIGNBOARDS.

Poetic Gems to Attract Business to Shops in Peking.

W. Simpson in "Meeting the Sun" writes: "I saw in Peking a list of signboards, and a few samples of them will illustrate their general character: 'Shop of Heaven Sent Luck,' 'Shop of Celestial Principles,' 'The Nine Felicities Prolonged,' 'Mutton Shop of Morning Twilight,' 'The Ten Virtues All complete,' 'Flowers Rise to the Milky Way.'"

"In these signs we can see that the Chinese can combine the soul of a poet with the pocket of a shopman. Contrast such efforts with 'The Noted Felpie House' of the London streets, and one must feel that we are outer barbarians. Carlyle quotes a Chinese signboard, 'No Cheating Here,' but I could not find anything like it in the list. 'Good and Just According to Heaven' ought to satisfy the ideal notions of the author of 'Sartor Resartus.'"

"The Honest Pen Shop of Li" implies that other pen shops are not honest. The "Steel Shop of the Pockmarked Wang" suggests that any peculiarity of a shopman may be used to impress the memory of customers. Snub noses, squint eyes, lame legs and hump backs might all be used in this way.

A charcoal shop calls itself the "Fountain of Beauty," and a place for the sale of coal indulges in the title of "Heavenly Embroidery." An oil and wine establishment is the "Neighborhood of Chief Beauty," a description the realization of which it is hard to conceive anywhere in Peking. "The Three Righteous" one would scarcely expect from an opium shop.—London Globe

Blocked by an Iceberg.

Discussing the iceberg question, Professor John Milne of London writes that the year he visited Newfoundland one of these ice mountains had stuck in the Narrows, which is the entrance to St. John's harbor. The capital of Newfoundland was bottled up. "A fort pounded at the intruder for a time, but it might as well have pounded at the Karakoram mountains. The monster stopped all traffic either in or out. On the third day, however, it heeled over and sailed away."

Awful Ignorance.

Young Man With Lavender Tie, Pink Shirt and Bright Purple Socks—Say, Jim Lawrence is a queer duck. He pronounces his words so queer! The other day he was telling some girls about going to the Blank Inn for a "habbodee" dinner. As soon as we left the girls I asked him what he meant and come to find out he meant table de luxury. Ha, ha, ha!—Chicago Tribune

Her Discourse.

"My dear," mildly expostulated her husband, "I said only half a dozen words and you have talked about them for forty-five minutes."

"Well," snapped Mrs. Vick-Senn, "the preacher does that sort of thing every Sunday morning and you never kick about it."—Chicago Tribune

At Sixes and Sevens.

"I married my first husband for money and my second for love."

"Then you are very happy now, I suppose?"

"No. Alas, no! You see, my first husband married me for love and my second for money."

A Special Favor.

Customer—Want a ton of coal. Dealer—Yes, sir. What size? Customer—Well, if it's not asking too much, I'd like to have a 2,000 pound ton.—Brooklyn Life.

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Object Achieved.
Nell—Mrs. Dash used to say she wouldn't marry the best man living.
Belle—Well, she has the satisfaction of knowing that she didn't.

Allies of Science.
Koleker—Think we shall ever talk to Mars?
Rocker—No; if it was possible my wife would never have overlooked it.—New York Sun.

The art of a nation has its root in the national character.—H. Thiele.

Beautifully Made.
Wickler—Robert's new suit is just the thing for him.
Stricker—Who will be his best man at the wedding?
He hesitated. Wickler—What's the matter?—Lug cuts and does.—The Daily Post.

Long-Annularian.
Dusty Rhodes—Will yer please give me a dime to get somethin' to eat with?
Bunker Hill—My good man, you can't purchase a set of false teeth for 10 cents.

We owe the greatest gratitude to those who tell us the truth.

LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

J. L. Krepps, Sr., J. H. Krepps, D. H. Courtney and two sons David and Joseph of Morgantown were in town yesterday.

John E. Leonard of Library was in town yesterday on business.

H. B. Hayden of Elizabeth was in Charleroi yesterday looking over business interests.

Paul Kimmins of Charleroi and Edgar Lytle of Monongahela attended the Wheeling fair yesterday.

J. J. Hott and Kerfoot W. Daly are in Pittsburgh today on business.

Miss Rebecca Wilson is visiting friends in Monongahela.

L. B. Matas of Homestead was in town yesterday on business.

S. W. Murphy of Belle Vernon was looking after business interests in Charleroi yesterday.

J. Russell Blythe of Washington avenue has returned from Detroit, where he was employed by the Imperial Glass company. Mr. Blythe has been promoted to a salesman and has been assigned to the valley district.

Mrs. Della P. Halstead and son John are spending a few days at Tarentum visiting friends and relatives.

C. W. Welter is transacting business in Uniontown today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cordes have left for St. Louis, Mo., for a two weeks' visit with friends. Their daughter, Mrs. O. E. Clutter accompanied them as far as Pittsburgh.

"Bill" Phillips has returned from Youngstown where he managed the Youngstown team in the Central League. "Bill" had an excellent season his team finishing second in spite of sickness and injuries among his men. He had a good team and his men played together, fooling quite a number of fans who expected Youngstown to be in the cellar division.

SUGGEST GREAT

WHITE WAY FOR CHARLEROI

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beauty and ornamentation of the town. The "Great White Way" on Broadway, New York, and the famous "Boardwalk" at Atlantic City are lighted with Alba globes "made in Charleroi."

It may be possible to install this ornamental street lighting system in Charleroi, the home of the idea. It will add to the beauty and prestige of the town, and might not materially increase the expense. At all events, an investigation of the matter will no doubt be made.

"You can assure me that this old master is genuine."
"Oh, yes, my very dear sir. The proof is perfect. Why, I can point out to you the very street in which the poor old master lived."
"And you are sure he was an old master?"
"Sure! Why, my very dear sir, he was more than ninety when he died."
"I'll take it."—Cleveland Plain Dealer

KIFER PITCHES

NO HIT GAME

The first game of the series of three to be played by the leaders of the Church league, the First Presbyterians and the Catholics last evening resulted in a draw. The score was 1-1. The Catholic battery was Kifer and Schmidt, and the First Presbyterian battery was Osborne and Beggs. It was a pitchers' battle. Kifer pitched a no hit game, the Presbyterians scoring on a walk and two errors. The Catholics gleaned but two hits off Osborne, which netted one run. The two teams play again this evening at 8:00.

BULL MOOSE ELEMENT SEEKS TO BLOCK GAME

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E. O. Mikesell, have been looking the county over preparatory to starting the campaign and have gotten a good line on every district. While Washington county showed some Bull Moose tendencies at the primary, indications are that now the parting of the ways has come in the movement, the most of the Republican voters will remain true to their party and that the usual Republican majority will be accorded President Taft at the November election.

DIED SUDDENLY AT MONESSEN

John Dowd, a well known resident of Monessen, formerly of North Charleroi, was found dead on Saturday morning near the Westmoreland hotel, having succumbed to a stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Dowd had been employed as night watchman on the new Third street viaduct at Monessen for several weeks.

The deceased was 71 years of age and is survived by the following sons and daughters: John, of Carrick; Mrs. Mary T. Keenan of Gibbstown and Mrs. Brennan of Boston, Pa. Funeral services were held in St. Leonard's Catholic church on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The interment was in the Monongahela cemetery.

The One Perfect Boy.

"I never heard of him one perfect boy," said Johnny pensively as he sat in the corner doing penance.
"And who was that?" asked mamma.
"Papa—when he was little," was the answer. Then silence reigned for the space of five minutes.—Exchange.

Sound Reasons.

"You seem to be able to draw a great deal of interest from this gentleman."
"Of course I do. He's my principal."—Baltimore American.

Research.

Bill—Have you done any research work?
Jill—Have I? Well, say, I've looked for this same dollar button I'm wearing now at least fifty times.—Yonkers Statesman.

Defense of Literature.

Thackeray was a past patron of the royal literary fund and frequently appeared at its annual dinners. It was at one of these dinners on May 12, 1851—that the novelist made a noble vindication of the dignity of letters. "We don't want patrons," he said; "we want friends, and I thank God we have them. And as for any idea that our calling is despised by the world, I do, for my part, protest against and deny the whole statement. I have been in all sorts of society in this world, and I have never been despised that I know of. I don't believe there has been a literary man of the slightest merit or of the slightest mark who did not greatly advance himself by literary labors. . . . And therefore I say don't let us be pitied any more."

Fishing For Sheep.

When sheep were first introduced into Cotswold, England, a flock which had strayed from the uplands or to Gwithian sands, were caught thereby the tide and ultimately carried into St. Ives bay during the night. Theretofore flock was observed from the St. Ives fishing boats, whose crews, never having seen sheep, took them for some new kind of fish and did their best to secure them both by hooks and lines and by netting. Those they secured they brought home triumphantly next morning as a catch to which even pilchards were as nothing.

Reminiscence.

"Do you remember the way you used to write the same wise sentence over and over again in your copybook?"
"Yes," replied the politician. "Those were the happy days. You weren't afraid somebody was going to dig up something you had scribbled off in an idle moment and use it against you in a campaign."—Washington Star.

ROUSED THE AUDIENCE.

A Mining Camp Melodrama With an Unexpected Climax.

Joseph Jefferson used to say that his career came very near being nipped in the bud in a small western town. It was at that time was a member of a small pioneer company which progressed by means of three "bull teams" from one mining camp to another. They were always heartily received by the miners and cowboys, who readily paid \$5. in gold required to witness the performance. Mr. Jefferson was the traditional melodramatic villain and the third act was supposed to depict "the child." The supposed mother hearing his cries, rushes upon the scene just as he is about to escape and die a fruitless shot from a revolver.

Upon this particular occasion all began well until this scene was reached and the audience, many of whom had never before seen any kind of theatrical performance, sat as if spellbound. At the crack of the mother's revolver, however, the spell was rudely broken. "By heaven she missed him!" a resolute miner in the front row shouted, drawing his own six shooter and leaping to his feet. "Round to the back door and head him off! Gore he can get a boss, boys!" he yelled, and following him, half the audience stampeded for the exit.

The excitement was finally allayed by the "mother" and the villain appearing in hand before the curtain and the manager's explanation of the situation. When the performance had been completed the audience insisted on paying another admission fee to witness an immediate repetition of the scene from the beginning to the end.

QUICKSILVER MINING.

An Occupation That Quickly Dooms the Workers.

The chief quicksilver mines in Europe are in the Spanish town of Almaden, which is an Arabic word, meaning "the mine of quicksilver." These mines were formerly worked by the Iberians and after them by the ancient Romans. Between 1845 and 1848 the Spanish government employed galleys slaves in them, an occupation then soon ended in death. The fumes of the mercury produce constant salivation, and the system becomes permeated with the metal.

At first the victim is seized with tremblings, and then the teeth drop out; pains in the bones follow and the death. The annual yield of mercury is 1,500,000 pounds, to produce which 4,000 men are engaged in this unhealthy employment.

After Almaden so far as yield of quicksilver is concerned comes Idria, an Austrian town, twenty-eight miles from Trieste. These mines also were once worked by criminals, who, owing to the terrible qualities of the mineral, expired after about two years' service. There are now nearly 500 miners engaged in the work at Idria. They are induced to enter the mines by high pay. A pension is allowed when they are disabled and provision is made for their widows and children.—Pearson's Weekly.

Where Did They Put It?

Yeast: When they do housecleaning at home I have the greatest trouble in finding anything. —Crimsonbank—Me too. They cleaned house at my place the other day, and when I got home, do you know, I couldn't find the key hole for the longest time.—Yonkers Statesman.

The Difference.

"Who is the more contented—a man with a million dollars or a man with six daughters?"
"The man with six daughters. The man with the million wants more."

The arrow of sarcasm are barbed with contempt. It is the sower in the attire of ridicule that galls and wounds. —W. Gladden

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The Other Side.

"Do you think a little learning is a dangerous thing?"
"Possibly. But it isn't half so dangerous as the same amount of ignorance."—Detroit Free Press.

Obvious.

Bessie—Wonder if Maude knows that we are looking at her new gown? Jessie—Certainly. What do you suppose she is walking down this street for?—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Softening His Joy.

Client—So the jury gave me \$1,000? That's great, eh? Lawyer—Yes, my boy. You don't know how badly I needed it.—Life



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System in Wide Use Elsewhere Would Beautify the Town

Although there were not enough members present to constitute a quorum at the regular meeting of the Charleroi Business Men's Association, last evening, W. D. Pollock introduced a matter which will no doubt receive serious consideration later on. This is the question of ornamental street lighting, and it may be interesting to know that this is a science which, although it is now being widely adopted in the cities and towns of both this county and Europe, virtually started in Charleroi. Ornamental and scientific street lighting has been developed by the Macbeth-Evans Glass company, which is now rapidly introducing the method in all progressive communities. This company has its leading factory in Charleroi and it is here that the glasses which figure as an important factor in the method are manufactured in large quantities.

At the meeting of the Business Men's Association last evening Mr. Pollock, who is one of the department superintendents of the Macbeth-Evans factory here, presented a series of booklets giving the details of the system, which are issued by the Macbeth-Evans people. This firm now maintains an illuminating engineering department, and when a city or town wants to install an ornamental and scientific system of street lighting, this department works out the details. It will advise the authorities in charge as to what to do to get the most results from lights and glasses, the number and kind that are best and furnish tentative estimates of cost.

The ornamental system is composed of clusters of high candle power Tungsten or Mazda incandescent lamps, enclosed in white Alba glass globes, which are manufactured exclusively by the Macbeth-Evans company, and which are an extensive Charleroi product. The globes are mounted on an ornamental or white metal posts designed to harmonize with the surroundings, and so spaced as to diffuse the light at the right intensity.

This system brings back the old time side light street lamps, which has been found most efficient, as well as ornamental, as overhead wires and unsightly poles which are required with arc light, are done away with. The incandescent clusters enclosed in white Alba globes scientifically spaced give more and better light when on the side of the streets, as well as adding to the

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THE COYLE THEATRE
SAFEST HOUSE IN STATE
CLEAN, COOL AND COMFORTABLE.

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Stole March On Friends

Couple Leave For Pittsburg Expo But Get Married in Wheeling

Arthur K. Odert, formerly of Charleroi, but now a practicing physician of Ohio, and Miss Phyllis Nicholas, daughter of Mrs. M. A. Nicholas of Allenport left the young woman's home Wednesday morning ostensibly to attend the Pittsburg Exposition but a telegram to her mother Thursday conveyed the information that she and the doctor were married the previous evening in Wheeling, W. Va.

Miss Nicholas recently declined to accept a position as teacher in the Allenport public schools because by a ruling of the schoolboard she would not be allowed to attend dances.

Dr. Odert is one of the Charleroi boys who grew up here and has made a good start toward success. He is a young man of promising capabilities and has many friends here who extend congratulations. The bride is also well and favorably known in this community.

TO PAVE THREE STREETS

North Charleroi Council is Planning Improvements

WANT MORE SEWERS

Although representatives of the Charleroi Water company met with the North Charleroi council at the regular meeting Thursday evening, and the matter relative to the right of way for a 20 inch line through the borough was threshed out at some length, no agreement was reached and the question is still open for further negotiations. The regular bills were presented and ordered paid and the other routine business transacted.

Borough Engineer Alexander Gray was instructed to compete his plans for a sewage disposal plant, which the State Department requires for submission and get them approved as soon as possible. This must be done before further sewer improvements and extensions can be made.

Three paving ordinances were presented and passed first reading. These were for the paving of Fourth street from the west side of the school property west to Center avenue; Seventh street from Lincoln avenue west to Isabella avenue; and Fourth street from the railroad crossing to Front street. The ordinances were referred back to the ordinance committee after they had passed first reading.

AGRICULTURAL SHARP LOCATED IN COUNTY

Brought to Washington by County Seat Board of Trade to Promote Farming and Gardening in That Locality

J. M. McKee, recently appointed agricultural expert for Washington county through a co-operative arrangement by the Bureau of Plant Industry of the National Department of Agriculture, the Agricultural Bureau of the county seat Board of Trade and Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture arrived in Washington Thursday and will at once make preparations for carrying out certain lines of procedure for the benefit of the agriculturists of this section. Mr. McKee expects to proceed along lines that he sees will be beneficial after studying the local situation.

Mr. McKee while a young man, has had a varied experience in his line and comes recommended as thoroughly capable. He is a native of Clarion county where he worked on a farm until he entered Pennsylvania State college, where he was graduated from the Agricultural school in 1910, specializing in farm management. In the spring of 1910 he assisted in making a detailed soil survey of Bradford county, returning to State college in the fall of that year as assistant in Agronomy. In the summer of 1911 he made a reconnaissance survey of Northeastern Pennsylvania. Last fall he managed a farm in New Jersey, where he remained until the spring of 1912, when he made a reconnaissance survey of Southeastern Pennsylvania.

The purpose of bringing Mr. McKee to Washington as recited by the contract and agreement is to promote farm management, field studies and demonstrations to the end of upbuilding the agricultural conditions of the county and district. Mr. McKee will have his headquarters at the Board of Trade rooms in the municipal building where he will be glad to see anyone interested in agricultural development.

He stated that George A. Billings, assistant agriculturist of the National Bureau of Plant Industry, and E. K. Hirschman of the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, in charge of the county experts, would be in Washington Tuesday of next week. At that time the prospective work and existing conditions in Washington county will be gone over thoroughly and a general plan of campaign outlined.

It has been suggested that the Charleroi Business Men's Association co-operate in this movement and have this expert look over this territory adjacent to Charleroi with a view of indicating the best facilities for promoting farming and gardening. As an incentive to the market a move of this kind would doubt be productive of results.

TWO PRECINCTS IN FALLOWFIELD ARCH OSBORNE ON THE MOUND

Court Grants Another Polling Place and Appoints Officers

The court this week made a decree in the matter of the division of Fallowfield township into two voting precincts. The polling place in the first precinct will be at the township building on the Colvin farm and that in the second precinct at the McCracken Supply company's building at VanVoorhis. Boards were named as follows: First precinct—Judge, Milo Leatherman; inspectors, John Jones Republican and John Bolts, Democrat. J. A. Carson was appointed assistant assessor for this precinct. In the second precinct the judge is to be S. C. Beazell and the inspectors S. S. Hall, Republican and Charles Grable, Democrat. Dr. B. E. Gamble was appointed assistant assessor for the second precinct.

MONON. WOMEN ORGANIZE CLUB

The Monongahela Marketing Club, the second of its kind in the Monongahela valley, was organized at the Y. M. C. A. rooms in Monongahela yesterday. Mrs. J. B. Flannery, who was instrumental in the organization of the Charleroi Marketing Club gave several talks recently the effect of which was the organization at Monongahela yesterday. Miss Catherine McGough was elected president, Mrs. James Downer first vice president, Mrs. James McGregor second vice president, Mrs. James McGulough third vice president, Miss Mary Craig secretary, and Mrs. William McCallister treasurer. Committees have been appointed and will start to work immediately.

Saturday Market.

at Dawson's Millinery store Saturday afternoon by ladies of Washington Avenue Presbyterian church.

For School Supplies watch our window. Might's Book Store.

Star Southpaw to Officiate at Local Ball Lot Tomorrow

The baseball supremacy of the valley is likely to be settled in the game here tomorrow afternoon between the Charleroi Independents and the Liggett A. A. of Monongahela. These are both crack amateur independent teams, and each has won one of a series of three games, the one tomorrow deciding the championship. In the last game here between these two teams last Saturday the Liggetts defeated Charleroi by a score of 17 to 8.

Manager Mathers of the Charleroi Independents, however, is not in the least daunted by the bad slump on the part of his team Saturday. He has strengthened up with the addition of Arch Osborne, Charleroi's star southpaw who has just returned after a successful season on the mound for Akron of the Ohio State League. Osborne and Cratty will occupy the box for Charleroi while Skiles and Burner will do the battery work for the Liggetts.

The game is to be called at 3:30. With Osborne and in good form the local fans will be treated to a fast and furious game.

FRIENDS GAVE HIM A SURPRISE

A surprise party was given Noah Silbaugh of 834 Oakland avenue in honor of his 67th birthday on Thursday evening. Mr. Silbaugh received many useful presents among which was a splendid rocking chair, the present of his six sons. A pleasant evening was spent, one room being given over to square dancing. The music was furnished by an orchestra. Lunch was served and all departed reporting a good time.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to thank my friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses extended during the recent sickness and death of my wife. All are remembered with grateful appreciation.

W. P. Stiger.

BULL MOOSE ELEMENT SEEKS TO BLOCK GAME

Officers Are Chosen

Women's Missionary Society Has Program at the Election

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. R. Eagye assisted by Mrs. H. J. Booth and Mrs. F. W. Cunningham. The principal feature of the business part of the program was the opening of the nominations and election of officers for the coming year which were as follows: President, Mrs. H. J. Booth; vice president, Mrs. F. A. Richards; recording secretary, Mrs. T. R. Eagye; corresponding secretary, Miss Rosetta Rodgers; treasurer, Mrs. F. J. Johns.

The subject of the afternoon's lesson was "The Fruitage of the Year." The leader was Mrs. Della Halstead. An interesting paper was read by Mrs. W. S. James on "What Our Auxiliary Has Accomplished This Year." A reading, "Mrs. Hartwell's Mite Box," was given by Mrs. Ralph White.

DOUGLAS COLLEGE OPENS

Opening Enrollment is Largest in History of the School

FACULTY UNCHANGED

With an enrollment of 89, which was the largest opening enrollment in the history of the school the Douglas Business College opened Tuesday for the fall and winter term. The attendance has already been increased to 95 and by next week Supt. M. Adams manager of the Charleroi school, expects that the number of pupils in attendance will be increased to 100 or more. This will be the largest attendance in the history of the school.

As the successor to the Tubbs Business College which was founded in Charleroi by the late Prof. Tubbs the Douglas Business College ranks second to none of the commercial training schools in this section of the State. From its first institution the Charleroi school has graduated a large number of pupils in bookkeeping, shorthand and typewriting many of whom occupy positions of responsibility and trust in the big industrial and financial institutions of the Pittsburgh district, as well as elsewhere.

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Roosevelt Electors Refuse to Get Off Republican Ticket

COURT MAY OUST THEM

This is What is Holding Back the Campaign in the County

Owing to the complications that have arisen over the electoral ticket in Pennsylvania, the Republican campaign in the State and county is slow in starting. As many of the electors chosen by the Republicans of the State are Roosevelt men, the introduction of the third party in the campaign has mixed affairs badly. It is possible that the courts will be resorted to in order to straighten out the tangle.

Since the formation of the Roosevelt party which will be known as the Washington party in this State, the natural inference would be that the Roosevelt electors who have been nominated on the Republican ticket would resign. The reason they do not, however, is that the leaders of the Bull Moose movement are holding them back for a purpose. As the Republican State convention was controlled by the Bull Moose element, who nominated the electoral ticket, as well as the State ticket and State chairman, the latter element seeks to retain the State ticket nominated under the Republican banner, as well as the State chairman.

Now that the Bull Moosers are backing a third party, it is but natural that the Republicans should seek a new deal. They mistrust State Chairman Wasson, who was nominated by the Roosevelt element before the third party was launched, as well as the State ticket nominated at the convention. As a large number of the Presidential electors are opposed to President Taft, it is not at all possible for them to remain on the Republican ticket. The Bull Moose element, however, under the leadership of William Flinn of Pittsburgh, fears that if the electors resign and straightout Republicans are substituted, the Republicans will repudiate the State ticket nominated by the convention and name another ticket, as well as oust Chairman Wasson.

It is stated that Flinn offers to deal with Senator Penrose in the matter, agreeing to have the electors resign if the latter will agree not to nominate another State ticket after the Roosevelt electors are off the Republican ticket. This Senator Penrose refuses to do, and the matter may be taken into the courts for adjudgment. Senator Penrose conferred with National Chairman Hillis in New York yesterday on the matter. If the Roosevelt electors on the Republican ticket do not resign at once, it is possible that drastic action will be taken to oust them.

This is why no action has been taken in the State and county by the Republican organizations to start the campaign. County Chairman C. E. Carothers, assisted by Secretary

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J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Bush, Cashier.

Have You a Check Account?

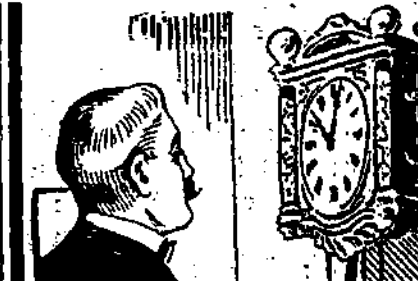


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dence of good faith and not neces-
sarily for publication, must invariably
bear the author's signature.

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tion, 5 cents a line each additional inser-
tion.

LOCAL AGENCIES

G. S. Night, Charleroi
Mrs. Belle Sharpnack, Lock No. 4
J. T. Hixbaugh, Belle Vernon

Sept. 6 In American History.

1492—Columbus sailed from the Canary
isles on his voyage of discovery.
1822—William Steele Holman, Demo-
cratic statesman, born; died 1897.
1891—President William McKinley
shot while visiting a reception in
the Temple of Music at the Pan-
American Exposition in Buffalo by
Leon F. Czolgosz, an anarchist.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS

(From noon today to noon tomorrow)
Sun sets 6:24, rises 5:33 Evening
stars: Venus, Mars, Jupiter, Mercury
Morning star Saturn

THE GRANGE ACTS.

At last the Pomona Grange of
Washington county has taken action
on the dog nuisance. At the last
meeting of this body at Bargetts-
town this week, the dog question was
taken up in the following resolution
which was the last of a series adopt-
ed before adjournment:

"Resolved, That we recommend
that the legislature of our state en-
act some sort of stringent laws to
control the dog nuisance, the sheep
industry having been ruined in many
localities by this cause."

The fault to be found with the
resolution is that it is not specific.
There is but one way to abolish the
dog nuisance and to protect the
sheep herds—or what is left of
them—in this county, and that is to
prohibit dogs from running at large
entirely. The resolution of the
Grange permits the Legislature to
temporize and to delay the real rem-
edy. The Grange should have de-
manded that the Legislature enact
laws under drastic penalty to pro-
hibit dogs from running at large and
to be persistent in this demand

THE WARRING ELEMENTS

It was an alleged humorist who as-
serted that it was no use to save any-
thing for a rainy day, as the rainy
day was likely to bring a flood and
sweep all the savings away. This is
what happened in Washington coun-
ty. A big lot of the assets the county
has accumulated have been dissipat-
ed by a rainy day, or rather a suc-
cession of them.

Destroyed and made built and main-
tained by the county have been de-
stroyed or damaged to such an ex-
tent that many of them will have to
be practically rebuilt. All this means
an additional burden on the taxpay-
ers which, however, is one that no
one could foresee, or even predict.
Man has no control over the elements
which have a faculty of occasionally

displaying extraordinary capacity for
inflicting damage. It was so in this
case. Floods come when and where
they were least expected, and inflict
ed damage that is not likely to oc-
cur again within the memory of any
person now living.

Nevertheless this war of the ele-
ments is one that is constantly men-
acing our efforts at progress. It is
one of the things that convinces us
that we live in an age of opposition
and strife and that it is not safe to
be unprepared for an emergency. It
is the extraordinary that is taxing
all our resources, yet the majority of
us are seldom prepared for the un-
expected that always happens to
change our plans and to place ob-
stacles in our way. This however,
seems to be Nature's way for preserv-
ing a balance and to stimulate effort
and endeavor to its greatest capacity.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Cheer up. We haven't had a cloud-
burst for almost two days.

but not of the zebra pattern

What's the use of going to war
nowdays? We can go up to the
movies and get the same sensations.

It's too doggone hot to even raise a
rough house

What's the use of telling the police
to "look out for Jimmie Valen-
tine," when "Everybody's Doing It."

Hack Gibson's motto: "Thou shalt
not steal"

Some men who get married two or
three times, must be after Somen's
or Brigham Young's record.

Lets quit having "Wild West"
movies shown and have some "Wild
New York" films made.

Rain may be good for the corn crop
but it's darn poor for us poor mortals.

Now comes the winter of our dis-
content,
For we've worked all summer and
haven't got a cent

A few men take a rest from hard
work by working a little harder

PICKED UP IN PASSING

The following is taken from the
September American Magazine:

"How many people whom you meet
in everyday life observe as much as
they ought?"

"If you think it easy, try this:
Ask some members of your family,
about some object which they are
accustomed to see. For instance, a
picture. As, which way the head
faces, right or left. Seven out of
ten will be unable to tell correctly."

"The writer filled the office of lec-
turer in the Grange for some time
and for an experiment one evening
asked a number of questions about the
hall in which the meetings are held.
"On 'Observation Night,' as it was
called, some sixty members were in
attendance. For a starter they were
asked which way the Indian head on
the common cent faced, right or left.
Only two could tell.

"Two doors leading to a balcony
were next brought to mind. A knob
on one door opened both. They were
asked on which door this knob was
located. Two gave the correct an-
swer while thirty-five gave the wrong
door.

"The number of pictures on the
walls of the dining-hall was next
questioned. No one, not even the
janitor, could tell. They all gave
nearly twice the correct number
which was twelve.

"Is there a telephone pole squarely
in front of the hall? was next asked.
A brother said there was. An-
other brother said he thought it was
to the left. Both brothers were pos-
itive they were right and caused no
little merriment for the rest. More
merriment was caused by the report
of a committee that the nearest pole
was to the right of the hall.

"All these objects had been seen
by those present probably hundreds
of times, but they hadn't noticed
them enough to remember about
about them.

"Now, dear reader, when you meet
a friend on the street just ask him
which way the head on a five-cent
piece faces, left or right. Ten to one
he won't know.

"Ask all your friends 'observation

questions,' little things that they
should notice. Before you are aware
of the fact you will be observing
many things you never noticed be-
fore, and you will enjoy the fun
for having noticed them."

Two panhandlers were neatly trap-
ped while playing their trade on the
streets yesterday morning. The pair
approached a couple of citizens who
were talking on the street corner and
in piteous tones begged for a dime to
get something to eat.

"I don't like the way your breath
smells," said one of the citizens, "still
I suppose a bum can get hungry as
well as any one else. If I were near
a restaurant I'd buy you each a sand-
wich."

As the other citizen was going
down street he volunteered to get
the sandwiches, so the first citizen
produced the dime, and the three
started down street. When the first
barroom was approached one of the
panhandlers said:

"Now look here, pardner," we
don't want anything to eat. I'll be
honest with you. We want a drink.
Just give us the dime and let us get
a couple of beers."

This citizen refused to do and
the panhandlers then insisted that he
buy the sandwiches. Instead of that
he called a policeman who pinched
the pair for begging on the streets.

MORTGAGES ON LAND.

Why It Is Essential That They Should
Be Recorded

As the value of land to the owner
increases so does the security of mort-
gage investments. On that land in-
crease. A mortgage that is consid-
ered a dead end, and which re-
sults in the loss of the original owner or
his successors, is a waste of time and
money. The mortgage is a security for
the lender, and it is essential that it
be recorded in public offices, called
recorders, registers, or county clerks,
in such a way that any one buying
the land is bound to take notice of
them and the land is bound to be
conveyed and no one has a right to
say that he bought the land not know-
ing that a mortgage was on it, for he
is presumed by law to know such
facts as a search of the title in these
public offices would reveal.

If however the holder of the mort-
gage does not cause the mortgage to
be recorded then any innocent pur-
chaser of the land can take it clear of
the lien of the mortgage.
In no particular has the law of this
country gone further than in the effort
to secure the title of the landowner
and the security of the mortgage hold-
er, and no investments are more high-
ly regarded by the conservative busi-
ness man than those founded on the
imperishable surface of the earth.—
Christian Herald

UMBRELLA HANDLES.

In France They Shape Them as They
Grow In Nurseries

Most of the handles of canes, alpen
stocks, parasols and umbrellas used
in France are grown in nurseries. Ash,
maple oak, chestnut and other woods
are used. In the early part of the first
year after planting the young trees
are cut near the ground to bring about
the formation of numerous sprouts.
The lower branches are removed, and
only a plume of leaves is left.

Early in the spring the sprouts are
subjected to a surgical operation.
Their bark is cut and the wood is
carved in different designs which are
swollen by the sap and grow in high
relief as the tree develops. Special in-
struments are used for the cutting and
designing. Thus carved the sprout
grows for three years.

At the end of the third year the for-
est of umbrella handles is cut and the
cuts are dried in the sun and then given
a vapor bath after which they are
put into the hands of skilled workmen
who peel them with one quick move-
ment.

When skinned the peelers cut them
to the required lengths and send them
to the umbrella maker who varnishes
them. If the shape desired is a ring
or other open form a ring or oval or
square is grafted to the natural stalk,
bound closely, and left to grow into
place.—Harper's

Extra Buttons.

"It takes stout people to break all
rules regulating the number of buttons
on a coat or waistcoat," said the tailor.
They can't follow the fashion, their
size won't let them.

"Three buttons on a coat this year
tailors or inventors may decree, or two
or four or five, or whatever number
they think proper, but the man with
a figure that is constantly trying to
escape its environment does not care
about conventions. What he wants is
buttons enough to keep his clothes in
shape.

"Put 'em closer together," he says,
"so the strain won't all come on two
or three buttons."

"So we put them closer together
and the result is that stout people fre-
quently have twice as many buttons
on their clothes as fashion calls for."
—New York Times

A Mind Reader.

Mr. Dorkins—Maria, why do you al-
ways interrupt me as soon as I begin
to— Mrs. Dorkins—Because I always
know exactly what you are going to
say. What's the use of my wasting
time by waiting to hear you finish?
—Chicago Tribune.

One of The Reasons

for the high cost of living is the fact that goods are now sold to
such a large extent in cans and cartons. A bushel of wheat
when made into breakfast food retails at something like \$16.00,
and a bushel of tomatoes which cost from forty to fifty cents
retails for from \$3.00 to \$4.00. The canning and putting up of
these goods might just as well be done by the municipality in
behalf of the whole people and be sold to them at cost. The
saving would be tremendous.

We Respectfully Submit the Following Prices

Matchless flour,
full 49-lb. sack.....\$1.58
Matchless flour will please you
Your money back unless it makes
better and more bread than any flour
at the same price.

25-lb sack pastry flour75c
10c pkg. corn flakes, 4 for25c
Shredded wheat biscuit12c

Produce

Potatoes, per pk23c
Sweet potatoes, 1-4 pk10c
Fancy apples pk2c
Grapes, basket10c

We save you 25 per cent

2-lb fancy japonica rice15c
1 qt. jar full of Walbur Cocoa25c
5 lb yellow peas25c
Royal peanut butter, lb15c
Qt. jar queen olives25c
3 cans best molasses25c
8 bottles elegant catsup25c
1-2 lb best cocoanut10c
Qt jar Lutz & Schramm
prepared mustard15c
Magic yeast, pkg15c
10c pkg. noodles, 2 for15c
10c pkg. macaroni, 2 for15c
10c pkg. vermicelli, 2 for15c
1 lb pkg best corn starch5c
Full line fancy cakes lb10c
12 lb pail fresh makerels\$1.25

Drugs and Medicine

Flax seed, lb10c
Flax seed meal, lb10c
\$1.00 bottle Kilmer Swamp Root 89c
\$1.00 bot. Lydia Pinkham's com-
pound89c
50c bottle Beef, Iron and Wine45c
10c bottles Turpentine, 2 for15c
10c bottles Castor Oil, 2 for15c
Ely's Lacote's Salve6c
Damas' Salve50c
Peruna89c

Co-Operator's Best Baking Powder

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any of our stores. Bake with it, if
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money cheerfully refunded. Why
pay double our price for no better
baking powder.
Full 2 lb. can for25c
1-lb. can, 15c; 1-2 lb can, 10c;
1-4 lb. can, for5c

Best granulated sugar,
full 25-lb. sack.....\$1.35

Finest Elgin Creamery Butter
We are told it is the best
in the City, lb80c

Bargains in Canned Goods

Evergreen corn, 2 cans15c
String beans, 2 cans15c
Ruth peas, 3 cans25c
New early June peas, 2 cans25c
3 large cans best tunkin25c
2 cans choice pink salmon25c
7 cans best domestic sardines25c
2 large cans mustard sardines15c
Best imported sardines, 10c and 18c
Shrimps, per can10c
Fancy tomatoes, 8 cans25c
Early June peas, per can10c
Fancy cream corn, 2 cans15c

Evaporated Fruits

Splendid prunes, 3 lbs.25c
Fancy muscatel raisins, 3 lbs25c
Fancy seeded raisins, 1-lb pkg10c
Evaporated apricots, 2 lbs for25c
Good prunes, 4 lbs for25c
Evaporated peaches, 3 lbs25c

Fruit Jars

Mason fruit jars, qts., dozen50c
Mason fruit jars pints, dozen45c
10c heavy jar gums, 2 dozen15c
Porcelain lined jar lids, dozen15c
Jelly glasses, doz20c
Fruit cans, per doz35c

Kitchen Specials

7 cakes silver gloss soap25c
5c box clothes pins, 4 for15c
10c roll toilet paper, 4 for15c
5c box bag blue, 3 for10c
3 cakes best scouring soap10c
4 pkgs cold starch25c
2 in one shoe polish, 2 boxes15c
Shinola, 2 boxes for15c
1 qt. ammonia10c
2 qts. blueing15c
5c box matches, 3 for10c
4-lb box soapine15c
Sticky fly paper, 3 double sheets5c
Poison fly paper, 5c envelopes, 2
for5c
11 cakes White Dove Soap25c

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The following story is told of J. P.
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ful business men as well. For three
consecutive days the great financier
carried in every bag in his hand
to and from his office. On the third
day one of his managers ventured to
ask him what he carried that apparently
was so useless.

"To see," replied the great Morgan
"if any one would have the impudence
to ask me why I did so."

"I beg your pardon," began the in-
quirer. "I—"
"You needn't do that," said the chief
smiling grimly. "I had a bet with a
man that I had at least one employee
with some curiosity. I've won the
money, but in future don't ask ques-
tions about things that don't concern
you!"

Clerk's Notice in Bankruptcy.

No. 6187 In Bankruptcy

In the district court of the United
States for the Western District of
Pennsylvania Frank Lowrie Mc-
Clure of Washington county, Penn-
sylvania, a bankrupt under the Act
of Congress of July 1, 1898, having
applied for a full discharge from all
debts provable against his estate un-
der said Act, notice is hereby given
to all known creditors and other per-
sons in interest, to appear before the
said Court at Pittsburg, in said Dis-
trict on the 15th day of October 1912
at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show
cause, if any they have, why the
prayer of the said petitioner should
not be granted.

William T. Lindsay, Clerk.
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It has been absolutely shown that rest, fresh air, and good food do help many persons suffering from Tuberculosis. But to be really honest, it must be admitted that the disease is seldom more than "arrested." Something more is needed.

Eckman's Alternative is a medicine made of the purest of natural elements. It has cured this disease again and again. Often these cures have been effected where the surroundings were not ideal, where no intelligent care was taken of the patient, where money was scarce, good food and good cooking unusual—yet cures resulted. Now we argue and urge that Eckman's Alternative should be used in every case of Tuberculosis, in addition to good nourishing food and fresh air, which we all need.

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6	118,050	33	534,90
7	114,550	34	113,090
8	114,550	35	120,745
9	118,500	36	122,245
10	17,500	37	65,630
11	118,000	38	124,075
12	117,060	39	118,850
13	124,575	40	109,750
14	123,500	41	114,140
15	120,600	42	112,000
16	119,140	43	118,075
17	114,900	44	122,630
18	125,150	45	74,750
19	123,055	46	120,910
20	120,895	47	16,095
21	125,475	48	30,980
22	102,875	49	115,395
23	101,940	50	61,940
24	120,845	51	80,975
25	121,865	52	121,995
26	122,950	53	80,990
27	110,895	54	37,825

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The Marvelous Work They Constantly Perform in the Body.

The blood cells are important members of the cell community and are exceedingly numerous, there being over 75,000,000,000 of the red blood cells alone. These red blood cells move in the blood currents, carrying through the arteries each its little load of oxygen, which it transports to the distant tissues that they may be invigorated and vitalized anew, and, returning, carrying through the veins the debris and waste products of the system to the great crematory of the lungs, where the waste is burned and thrown off from the body.

Like the ships that sail the sea, each cell carries its outgoing cargo and returns with another one. Some of these cells perform the office of special repairers, forcing their way through the walls of the blood vessels and penetrating the tissues in order to perform their special tasks.

There are several other kinds of cells in the blood besides the carriers just mentioned. There are the wonderful soldier and police cells, which maintain order and discipline.

The police cells are on the constant lookout for germs, bacteria and other microscopic disturbers of the peace of the body.

When these tiny policemen discover vagrant germs or criminal bacteria they rush upon the intruder and, tying him up in a mesh, proceed to devour him. If the intruder be too large or vigorous a call for assistance is sent out, and the reserve police rush to the assistance of their brothers and overpower the disturber of the peace.

Sometimes when the vagrants are too numerous the policemen throw them out from the body by means of pimples, boils and similar eruptions. In case of infectious diseases an army corps is ordered out in full strength, and a royal fight is waged between the invading army and the defenders of home and country—William Walker Atkinson in Nautilus.

CHINESE SIGNBOARDS.

Poetic Gems to Attract Business to Shops in Peking.

W. Simons in "Meeting the Sun" writes: "I saw in Peking a list of signboards, and a few samples of them will illustrate their general character: 'Shop of Heaven Sent Luck,' 'Shop of Celestial Principles,' 'The Nine Felicities Prolonged,' 'Mutton Shop of Morning Twilight,' 'The Ten Virtues All Complete,' 'Flowers Rise to the Milky Way.'"

"In these signs we can see that the Chinese can combine the soul of a poet with the pocket of a shopman. Contrast such efforts with 'The Noted Eolpie House' of the London streets, and one must feel that we are outer barbarians. Carlyle quotes a Chinese signboard, 'No Cheating Here,' but I could not find anything like it in the list. 'Good and Just According to Heaven' ought to satisfy the ideal notions of the author of 'Sartor Resartus.'"

"The Honest Pen Shop of Li" implies that other pen shops are not honest. The "Steel Shop of the Pockmarked Wang" suggests that any peculiarity of a shopman may be used to impress the memory of customers. Snub noses, squint eyes, lame legs and hump backs might all be used in this way.

A charcoal shop calls itself the "Fountain of Beauty," and a place for the sale of coal indulges in the title of "Heavenly Embroidery." An oil and wine establishment is the "Neighborhood of Chief Beauty," a description the realization of which it is hard to conceive anywhere in Peking. "The Thrive Righteous" one would scarcely expect from an opium shop.—London Globe

Blocked by an Iceberg.

Discussing the iceberg question, Professor John Milne of London writes that the year he visited Newfoundland one of these ice mountains had stuck in the Narrows, which is the entrance to St. John's harbor. The capital of Newfoundland was bottled up. "A fort pounded at the intruder for a time, but it might as well have pounded at the Karakoram mountains. The monster stopped all traffic either in or out. On the third day, however, it beeled over and sailed away."

Awful Ignorance.

Young Man With Lavender Tie, Pink Shirt and Bright Purple Socks—Say, Jim Lawrence is a queer duck. He pronounces his words so queer. The other day he was telling some girls about going to the Blank Inn for a "tabledore" dinner. As soon as we left the girls I asked him what he meant and come to find out he meant table de horey! Ha, ha, ha!—Chicago Tribune

Her Discourse.

"My dear," mildly expostulated her husband, "I said only half a dozen words and you have talked about them for forty-five minutes."

"Well," snapped Mrs. Vick-Senn, "the preacher does that sort of thing every Sunday morning and you never kick about it."—Chicago Tribune.

At Sixes and Sevens.

"I married my first husband for money and my second for love."

"Then you are very happy now, I suppose?"

"No. Alas, no! You see, my first husband married me for love and my second for money."

A Special Favor.

Customer—I want a ton of coal. Dealer—Yes, sir. What else? Customer—Well, if it's not asking too much, I'd like to have a 2,000 pound ton.—Brooklyn Life.

For Sale For Rent Lost Found

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Don't waste valuable time looking around for the ordinary "wants" of life. If you wish to rent or sell a property, to dispose of household furniture, or anything else you want to sell or if you want to hire your services to some one, or hire services from some one else, or if you have lost or found anything, an expenditure of a trifling amount in the

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ALL LADIES' SUITS—Including our white serges, plain colors and mixtures, all hand tailored and best lined, at ONE-HALF FORMER PRICES.

WONDERFUL REDUCTIONS IN COATS, and considering that they can be worn late in the fall you should not pass these values up.

Children's Dresses, Children's Coats, Ladies' Waists and House Dresses all going at prices so low that you should buy now.

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LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

J. L. Krepps, Sr., J. H. Krepps, D. H. Courtney and two sons, David and Joseph of Morgantown were in town yesterday.

John E. Leonard of Library was in town yesterday on business.

H. B. Hayden of Elizabeth was in Charleroi yesterday looking over business interests.

Paul Kimmins of Charleroi and Edgar Lytle of Monongahela attended the Wheeling fair yesterday.

J. J. Hott and Kerfoot W. Daly are in Pittsburgh today on business.

Miss Rebecca Wilson is visiting friends in Monongahela.

L. B. Maths of Homestead was in town yesterday on business.

S. W. Murphy of Belle Vernon was looking after business interests in Charleroi yesterday.

J. Russell Blythe of Washington avenue has returned from Detroit, where he was employed by the Imperial Glass company. Mr. Blythe has been promoted to a salesman and has been assigned to the valley district.

Mrs. Della P. Halstead and son John are spending a few days at Tarentum visiting friends and relatives.

C. W. Weltner is transacting business in Uniontown today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cordes have left for St. Louis, Mo., for a two weeks' visit with friends. Their daughter, Mrs. O. B. Clutter accompanied them as far as Pittsburgh.

"Bill" Phillips has returned from Youngstown where he managed the Youngstown team in the Central League. "Bill" had an excellent season his team finishing second in spite of sickness and injuries among his men. He had a good team and his men played together, fooling quite a number of fans who expected Youngstown to be in the cellar division.

E. O. Mikesell, have been looking the county over preparatory to starting the campaign and have gotten a good line on every district. While Washington county showed some Bull Moose tendencies at the primary, indications are that now the partying of the ways has come in the movement, the most of the Republican voters will remain true to their party and that the usual Republican majority will be accorded President Taft at the November election.

John Dowd, a well known resident of Monessen, formerly of North Charleroi, was found dead on Saturday morning near the Westmoreland hotel, having succumbed to a stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Dowd had been employed as night watchman on the new Third street viaduct at Monessen for several weeks.

The deceased was 71 years of age and is survived by the following sons and daughters: John, of Carrick; Mrs. Mary T. Keenan of Gibsonton and Mrs. Brennan of Boston, Pa. Funeral services were held in St. Leonard's Catholic church on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The interment was in the Monongahela cemetery.

The One Perfect Boy.

"I never heard of but one perfect boy," said Johnny pensively as he sat in the corner doing penance.

"And who was that?" asked mamma.

"Papa—when he was little," was the answer. Then silence reigned for the space of five minutes.—Exchange.

Sound Reasons.

"You seem to be able to div a great deal of interest from the gentleman."

"Of course I do. He's my principal."

—Baltimore American.

Research.

Bill—Have you done any research work? Jill—Have I? Well, say, I've looked for this same collar button I'm wearing now at least fifty times.—Yonkers Statesman.

Defense of Literature.

Thackeray was a past patron of the royal literary fund and frequently appeared at its annual dinners. It was at one of these dinners—on May 12, 1851—that the novelist made a noble vindication of the dignity of letters.

"We don't want patronage," he said; "we want friends, and I thank God we have them. And as for any idea that our calling is despised by the world, I do, for my part, protest against and deny the whole statement. I have been in all sorts of society in this world, and I have never been despised that I know of. I don't believe there has been a literary man of the slightest merit or of the slightest mark who did not greatly advance himself by literary labors. . . . And therefore I say don't let us be puffed any more."

Fishing For Sheep.

When sheep were first introduced into Cornwall, England, a flock which had strayed from the uplands of Gwithian sands were caught there by the tide and ultimately carried into St. Ives bay during the night. There the floating flock was observed from the St. Ives fishing boats, whose crews, never having seen sheep, took them for some new kind of fish and did their best to secure them both by hooks and lines and by netting. Those they secured they brought home triumphantly next morning as a catch to which crew pilchards were as nothing.

Reminiscence.

"Do you remember the way you used to write the same wise sentence over and over again in your copybook?"

"Yes," replied the politician. "Those were the happy days. You weren't afraid somebody was going to dig up something you had scribbled off in an idle moment and use it against you in a campaign."—Washington Star.

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